



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of an application for a license for the export of defense articles or defense services to be sold under a contract in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transactions contained in the attached certification concern future commercial activities with Australia related to the IS-22 Commercial Communications Satellite and its associated ground network.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard R. Verma".

Richard R. Verma
Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

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The Honorable
Nancy Pelosi,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.